

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Call to Order: Chair Rob Cook, on February 1, 2017 at 8:00 AM, in Room 102 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Rob Cook, Chair (R)
Sen. Bob Keenan, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Nancy Ballance (R)
Sen. Mary Caferro (D)
Sen. Albert Olszewski (R)
Rep. Marilyn Ryan (D)

Members Excused:

Rep. Jon A. Knokey (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Alice Hecht, Legislative Branch
Carolyn Tschida, Committee Secretary

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary: Child and Family Services Division

Child and Family Services Division:

00:00:44 Bob Runkel, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

00:02:33 Rep. Knokey joined the meeting

00:09:22 Maurita Johnson, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

EXHIBIT(jhh23a01)

00:24:01 Erica Johnston, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

00:25:46 Rep. Ballance

00:26:06 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:26:37 Rep. Ballance

00:27:04 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:27:10 Chair Cook

00:27:28 Sen. Caferro

00:27:38 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:28:09 Sen. Caferro

00:29:10 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:29:24 Rep. Knokey

00:29:48 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:30:10 Rep. Knokey

00:30:16 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:30:22 Chair Cook

00:30:34 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

EXHIBIT(jhh23a02)

00:32:51 Chair Cook

00:33:13 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:34:17 Rep. Ballance

00:35:12 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:36:19 Rep. Balance

00:36:41 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:37:01 Chair Cook

00:37:13 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:37:29 Chair Cook

00:37:47 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:38:06 Chair Cook

00:38:27 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:40:06 Sen. Olszewski

00:40:31 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:42:12 Rep. Knokey

00:43:08 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:43:55 Sen. Olszewski

00:44:20 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:44:33 Bob Runkel, DPHHS

00:44:45 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

00:45:10 Rep. Knokey

00:45:52 Erica Johnston, DPHHS

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00:52:09 Sen. Caferro
00:52:39 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
00:53:07 Sen. Caferro
00:53:19 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
00:53:37 Sen. Caferro
00:53:44 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
00:54:04 Rep. Ballance
00:55:08 Maurita Johnson, DPHHS
00:55:48 Mark Laramore, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)
00:57:14 Rep. Ballance
00:57:51 Mark Laramore, DPHHS
00:58:37 Chair Cook
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01:00:36 Rep. Ballance
01:00:58 Mark Laramore, DPHHS
01:01:45 Rep. Ryan
01:02:18 Bob Runkel, DPHHS
01:03:10 Maurita Johnson, DPHHS
01:10:56 Chair Cook
01:11:09 Brian Hannan, Office of Budget Program Planning (OBPP)
01:11:39 Maurita Johnson, DPHHS
01:12:02 Chair Cook
01:12:10 Maurita Johnson, DPHHS
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01:14:02 Bob Runkel, DPHHS
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01:14:37 Chair Cook
01:14:41 Laura Smith, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)
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01:15:17 Sen. Olszewski
01:15:40 Bob Runkel, DPHHS
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01:17:07 Sen. Olszewski
01:17:16 Chair Cook
01:17:53 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
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01:27:47 Recess
01:43:52 Reconvene

01:44:04 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS
01:45:31 Sen. Keenan
01:46:46 Maurita Johnson, DPHHS
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EXHIBIT(jhh23a03)

02:02:11 Sen. Keenan
02:04:10 Chair Cook
02:04:32 Bob Runkel, DPHHS
02:06:10 Chair Cook
02:06:29 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
02:07:16 Chair Cook
02:07:22 Rep. Ryan
02:07:48 Bob Runkel, DPHHS
02:08:10 Rep. Ryan
02:08:22 Bob Runkel, DPHHS
02:08:58 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
02:09:31 Sen. Olszewski
02:10:05 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
02:10:49 Sen. Olszewski
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EXHIBIT(jhh23a04)

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EXHIBIT(jhh23a05)

02:17:13 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS
02:17:51 Maurita Johnson, DPHHS
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02:44:21 Rep. Ballance
02:44:29 Chair Cook
02:45:02 Alice Hecht, LFD

EXHIBIT(jhh23a06)

02:54:06 Chair Cook
02:54:15 Rep. Ballance
02:54:36 Alice Hecht, LFD
02:55:44 Rep. Ballance
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[EXHIBIT\(jhh23a07\)](#)

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03:02:36 Chair Cook
03:04:14 Erica Johnston, DPHHS
03:04:56 Chair Cook
03:05:10 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 03:17:53

Carolyn Tschida, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jhh23aad.pdf](#))